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SEVENTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Seventh Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed below and on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents required by 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2), if any, are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner. The references now cited are the following:

Patent No.	Name	Date
US 5,892,909	Grasso et al.	04/06/1999
US 6,157,706	Rachelson	12/05/2000
US 6,606,744 B1	Mikurak	08/12/2003
US 2005/0283518 A1	Sargent	12/22/2005
US 2006/0059253 A1	Goodman et al.	03/16/2006

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.97(g),(h), this Seventh Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56(b).

Co-Pending Patents and Patent Application

To fully comply with 37 CFR § 1.56, Applicants and Applicant's attorney hereby disclose the existence of the following related and commonly owned patent applications which are cited in an Information Disclosure Statement being filed herewith:

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/208,491; and

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/238,895.

Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to review the claims and the prosecution history, including any Office Actions issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, for the following presently cited applications, since the specifications and possibly the claims of the following applications may include common or significantly related subject matter. In particular, the Examiner is respectfully requested to carefully review the identified prosecution history of the following presently cited applications:

U.S. Patent Publication No. 2005-0283518 A1, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/208,491 – no action on the merits to date;

U.S. Patent Publication No. 2006-0059253 A1, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/238,895 – Office Action mailed December 13, 2007, Response filed March 13, 2008.

In addition, to further fully comply with 37 CFR § 1.56, Applicant and Applicant's Attorney hereby disclose recent office action and/or office action responses in the following commonly owned co-pending patent applications, which were previously cited in an information disclosure statement:

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/676,584 – Response filed January 22, 2008,
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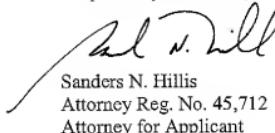
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Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.97(b)(4), this Seventh Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114

No additional fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Seventh Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; however, should any fees under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these materials, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione Deposit Account No. 23-1925, as authorized in the accompanying Transmittal.

Applicant(s) respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,



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